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VIA ELECTRONIC SUBMISSION

Marlene H. Dortch, Esq. Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 Twelfth Street, S.W., Room TWB-204 Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Application for Consent to Transfer of Control Filed by AT&T and BellSouth Corp.. WC Dkt. 06-74 – Notification of Ex Parte

Presentations

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On October 12, 2006, I participated in a conversation with, and initiated by, Aaron Goldberger and Ian Dillner, Legal Advisors to Commissioner Tate. During this conversation, I responded to their questions regarding the status of the above-referenced proceeding.

Separately, this morning I participated in a brief conversation with, and initiated by, Commissioner Deborah Taylor Tate regarding the urgent need for more responsible family programming in the video market.

In accordance with Sections 1.1203, 1.1204 and 1.1206 of the Commission's rules, this letter is being filed electronically with your office for inclusion in the public record.

Sincerely,

/s/ Robert W. Quinn, Jr.

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cc: The Honorable Deborah Taylor Tate

Aaron Goldberger, Esq.

Ian Dillner, Esq.